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Maneuver Support Center of Excellence

Fort Leonard Wood



MG QUANTOCK'S COMMAND

Building Strong Warriors, Leaders, Families & Forces - One Person at a Time

PHILOSOPHY



My Background/Family



- Army Brat – Graduated HS in Germany
- Commissioned ROTC, 1980, Norwich University
- Assignment Locations: Germany, Ft Bragg x 3, Carlisle Barracks, Pentagon, Ft Lewis, Ft Leonard Wood
- Deployments: Grenada, Haiti, Egypt, Saudi Arabia, Iraqx2
- Education: Masters, Computer Science, NPS
- Non-MP Areas
 - 7 Years as a Systems Automation Geek...War College, Joint Staff
 - XVIII Airborne Corps, Deputy Corps G3
 - XVIII Airborne Corps, Chief of Staff (Acting)
- Interests: Running, PT, Golf, Sports, Washington Redskins



My Background/Family





Core Beliefs



- Expertly trained professionals ready to deploy and serve with honor
 - Experts in our technical craft/certification
 - Trained with a warrior focus/demanding-realistic training
 - Professional Soldiers – first and foremost a Soldier
 - Ready – Families/Personal/Professionally/Organizationally
 - Deploy/Serve – Expeditionary mindset/home or abroad
 - Honor – ethical and moral conduct/standards and discipline

- What have you done today to support the Soldier at the point of the spear?



Priorities



1. Training preparation for the fight
2. Support for those in the fight
3. Take care of families and improve the quality of life for our community
4. Leverage Industry/Academia to support 1&2



- Toxic Command Climate – Destroys Organizations
- Process \neq Value
- Ethical/Moral Example for our Subordinates
- Soldiers First and Foremost
- “What is best for our Army?”
- Don’t beat around the bush ... give it to me straight
- AAR fixes things ... not accessing blame
- Balance – family ... work ... fitness



Philosophy



- Take care of your people (Mil/Civilians) – Awards/Reports
- Move out and Draw Fire ... Empower ...
- Continue to improve your fighting position ...
- Safety – Its all of our business ... get involved
- I am your advocate (MEB, EN, MP, CBRN)
- Stress the “We”, not the “I”... Army is team ball
- Alcohol Excess – What example are you setting for subordinates?
- Laugh ... work can't be miserable ... you are authorized to enjoy work!




What I Owe You



- Establish a Nurturing Command Climate
- Aggressively advocate for our Schools and Maneuver Support
- Continue to improve the quality of life of our community – A Community of Excellence
- Set the example for ethical and moral conduct
- Set a climate that empowers⁸

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